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PROJECT FACTSHEET

Delaware River Basin Comprehensive NY, NJ, DE & PA (Watershed Flood Management Plan)

July 2007

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS: Reps. Castle (DE-AL), Andrews (NJ-1), LoBiondo (NJ-2), Saxton (NJ-3), Smith (NJ-4), Garrett (NJ-5), Ferguson (NJ-7), Frelinghuysen (NJ-11), Holt (NJ-12), Hall (NY-19), Gillibrand (NY-20), Hinchey (NY-22), Brady (PA-1), Fattah (PA-2), Gerlach (PA-6), Sestak (PA-7), Murphy (PA-8), Carney (PA-10), Kanjorski (PA-11), Schwartz (PA-13), Dent (PA-15), Pitts (PA-16), Holden (PA-17).

APPROPRIATION / PHASE:

BUSINESS PROGRAM:

General Investigations / Feasibility

Watershed Planning

AUTHORITY: This study is being conducted based upon a July 20, 2005 resolution by the United States Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works.

LOCATION: The Delaware River Basin is located in 28 counties in portions of New York, New Jersey, Delaware and Pennsylvania and drains an approximate area of 12,765 square miles.

DESCRIPTION: This study is being accomplished as in interim feasibility study under the Delaware River Basin Comprehensive, NY, NJ, DE, & PA. Specific tasks to be performed during the feasibility phase include a Flood Analysis Model for the Delaware Basin; develop a watershed flood management plan; evaluate and enhance the existing flood warning system for the Delaware River Basin; and provide short-term technical advice and assistance to local governments.

STATUS: A Feasibility Cost Share Agreement and Project Management Plan have been coordinated with the Delaware River Basin Commission (DRBC). DRBC has received funds in the amount of \$500,000 from the Basin States and Federal Funds in the amount of \$300,000 have been received in FY07 to initiate the feasibility study.

FINANCIAL					BUDGET			
DATA (\$000)	Fed	Non-Fed	Total		DATA (\$000)		Comments	
Watershed Flood Management	600	600	1,200		FY 07	300	Work Plan	
Plan Feasibility Study								

SPONSOR: The DRBC will act as the local sponsor for this study and will provide the required 50 percent of the \$1,200,000 estimated total cost for the feasibility phase.

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